

## **Brynne Sissom / ABC Handwriting Analysis**

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Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, DC

Dear Directors,

I am a supporter of Dallas and Irving non-commercial television. It is of utmost importance that we preserve democracy in the United States. We need your support to keep non-commercial programming available to all of us, including yourselves. Profit is not always the best measure of what is right to do. Social policies also matter.

Democracy works when hundreds or thousands of us are voicing our opinions and experience, so it matters that you support public access. Without it, the people's voice is shut down still more and Big Brother government gains still more control and I know you can't possibly want that, because the intentions of even your voices would be shuttered too.

Local voices and performance, local government coverage, shows for seniors, the disabled, distance learning and non-profit training all have a place in non-commercial programming. Please keep it required. It's also good leverage to see that customer complaints are remedied. Commercial television is run of the mill and will never meet the needs of those whose purpose is not profit-driven.

Thank you for your vote of confidence in the worth of local people and local democracy.

Sincerely,

Brynne Sissom, CG, QDE